

Rethink recycling

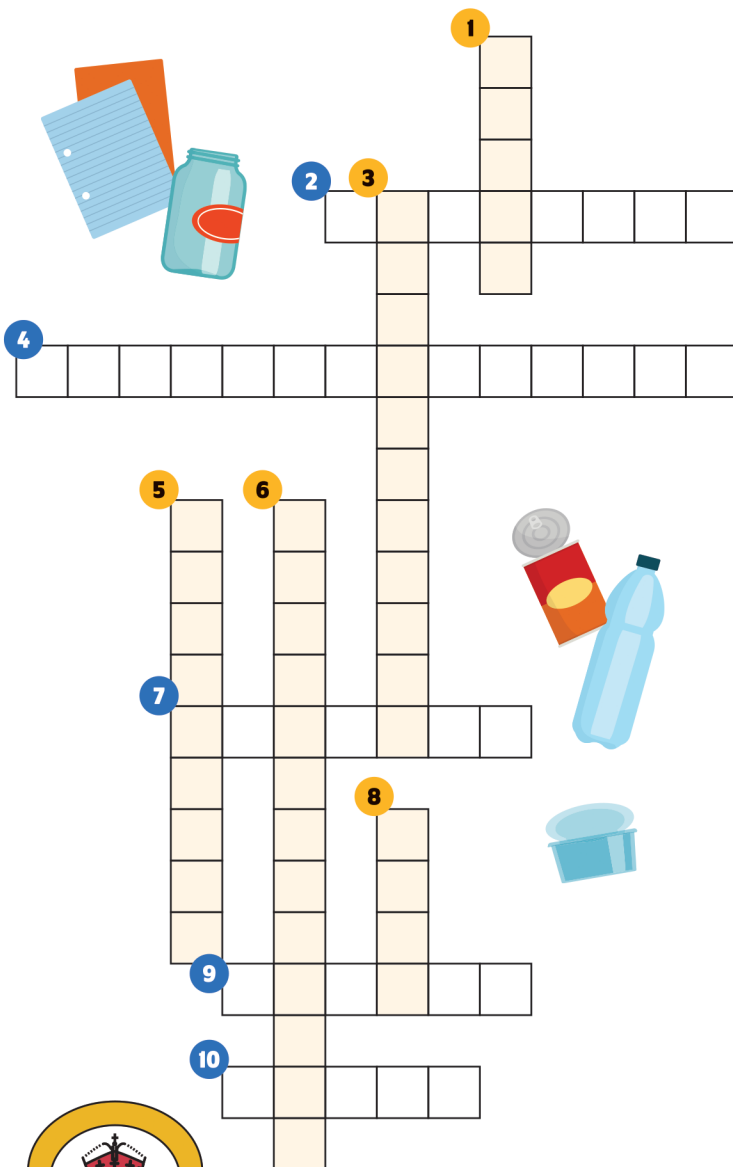
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makes recycling fun! Enjoy the activities below to learn about proper recycling and gain tips you can share with your friends, family and neighbors!

ACTIVITY 1

Find all the words below in the word search – can you guess how the words relate to recycling?

ANNAPOLIS	CLEAN	GLASS	PLASTIC
BOTTLE	CONTAINER	IMPORTANT	RECYCLES
CAN	EASY	METAL	REDUCE
CARDBOARD	ENVIRONMENT	PAPER	RETHINK
CARTON	FUTURE	PARTICIPATE	SEPARATE



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ACTIVITY 2

See how much you know about recycling. Use the clues below to solve the puzzle. Make sure you share your knowledge with your friends and family!

1. What you should do to all recyclables before putting them in the container?
2. For things like cereal boxes, _____ the plastic bag from the cardboard box so you can recycle the box and throw away the bag!
3. When you recycle, you help reduce the amount of waste, decreasing negative effects on our _____.
4. Every resident has a _____ to protect our environment and help his or her neighborhood by recycling.
5. Name the City committed to improving our recycling rate, which also serves as Maryland's state capital.
6. One way to decrease _____ is to avoid throwing trash, like food waste, into your recycling.
7. This type of bag cannot be recycled.
8. The color of City of Annapolis recycling containers.
9. You don't have to separate your recyclables into different containers thanks to single-_____ recycling.
10. All recyclables should be _____ in the bin – no bagging necessary.



With your parent's permission, visit AnnapolisRecycles.com to find all the right answers and see if you Know Where it Goes. Also, post your completed activity sheets to Facebook or Twitter and use **#AnnapolisRecycles** so we can admire your hard work!

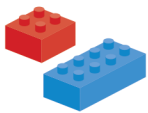
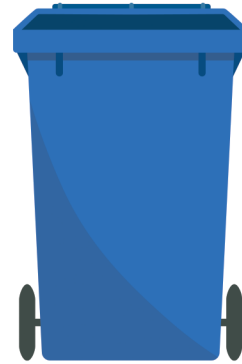


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Show where these items should be thrown by drawing a line from the item to the trash can or recycling bin.



Legos



Empty and clean plastic juice bottle



Empty and clean milk carton



Books



Plastic forks, knives and spoons



Pizza



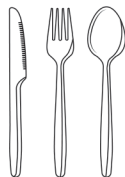
Plastic bag



Water bottle



Cell phone



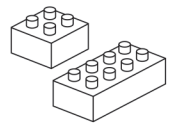
Plastic forks, knives and spoons



Chips can



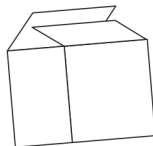
Empty plastic paint bottles



Legos

ACTIVITY 2

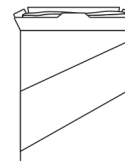
Color all the items that belong in your recycling bin!



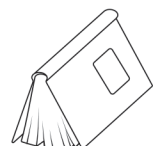
Box from the mail



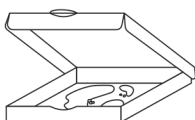
Clothes



Cereal box



Books



Greasy pizza box



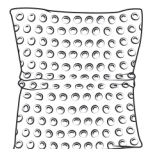
Sand bucket and shovel



Cereal bag



Shoes



Bubble wrap



Show your artwork to your parents! Have them visit AnnapolisRecycles.com to make sure you matched and colored all the right things to see if you Know Where it Goes. Your parents can even post to Facebook or Twitter and use [#AnnapolisRecycles](https://twitter.com/AnnapolisRecycles) so we can see what you created!

